O, no, I ai—aint!" sobbed Tommy, "but I've rode long enough."
The First Congression of the man. "What a fool you are!" said the man. "This is glorious! glorious!"!" And out went another bag of sand, and up went the balloon higher still into the air, until now the vessels looked like nothing more than flies crawling over the bay

And now the man began to caper and dance, making the balloon veer first to

one side and then to the other.

"To tell you the truth," he said, suddenly, putting his lips close to To nmy's ear, "the reason why I want to get to Europe as soon as possible is to get out of the reach of my enemies, and they are following me all the time; that is why I started from that miserable it. the town of Poppleton—so they couldn't track me. I hid myself in the moon a thousand years," he added, with the most solemn face; "but they found me. Ah, they are shrewd, I can tell you! But they won't find me now, will they, and Revs. W. D. Love, L. Whiting, L. is why I started from that miserable lit-

But just at that moment, as by a miracle Tommy thought, the wind veered and wafted them towards the shore of prosperity now brightens this church. the bay—in an opposite direction from Poppleton, to be sure; but merely to have land instead of that dreadful water under him would be happiness, Tommy

doubt that he was such—took alarm at once: he conceived the idea that enemies were waiting for him on the shore, and he declared that he preferred to lrop down into the water rather than fall into their hands; and to Tommy's

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LITTLE BERTIE. BY AUNT MAY.

"Ma see my marbles! This morning "I did not have any, and now I have got ten? Aint that doing pretty well?" "I don't know, ny son; how did you

RELIGIOUS NEWS.

REV.J.W. Ingrum is delivering a course of Sabbath evening lectures to the sorted from the flock and given the ad-Young People. REV. Mr. Peters, has taken up his

Oberlin, has called Rev. J. A. Leach, of of it get poor, Keene, N. H., to become its pastor.

THE New York City Mission has forty chapels, and nine Sabbath schools, gath-

the Scriptures."

Clapp, E. J. Montague and H. C. Hitchcock shared the other parts. A hopeful

Ir is said that of the hundreds o young Japanese who have come to America for education, in the last few years, not one has failed either intellectually or morally. Those having charge of them affirm that the home culture in Japan must be far more perfect than that which is too prevalent in multitudes of American homes, inasmuch as these stu-dents have evidently been brought up in habits of perfect obedience.

mies. He was iusane only at intervals, and while in Poppleton arranging for his balloon ascension, no one had noticed anything in his manner. Need I tell you that it was Tommy's last, as well as his first ride in a balloon?

**R. P. Buck, A. S. Hatch, R. D. Benedict, W. A. Booth, W. E. Dodge, Rev. W. I. Budington, D. D., and Rev. R. S. Storrs, D. D., for the purpose of procuring funds and taking further measures toward the promotion of the enterprise.

ALL who are interested in the careful exploration of Palestine, and especially of the less known portions, will rejoice to know that the American Palestine Exploration Committee have now matured their plans which will necessarily

AGRICULTURAL.

Sheep thin in flesh should now be vantage of extra feed. In most flocks where there has been a natural increase, many of the ewes have been reduced in flesh by sustaining two lives, and such

We have had the water cure, the grape We have had the water cure, the grape cure, the motion cure, the vegetable cure new, white bar soap into thin slices, melt missionaries under its auspices, four was the most popular of these, and had of caraway; when perfectly d ssolved, was the most popular of these, and had great sway for a time in France and Germany. But now the inhabitants of week, then cut it into such sized squares "Oh, if I had only put that fifteen cents into the missionary box, as Aunt Jemina told me to, I should not have been here!" he said to himself.

And now the man began to mome and ms mother.

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Apple Custard, very missionary box, as Aunt gational Church is delivering a course of the stunted plants that border some of our streams, but the mole and week, then cut it into a mold and week, then cut it into such as you may require. gardens near Paris. There are at least a thousand of these cress patches in the neighborhood of Paris.

THE Alta Californian says; The vin yardists of California will not grow rich this year as a class. Although the grape crop is larger than ever before, it is also less profitable. The high price of casks, the large stock of wine on hand, the relatively small amount of capital in the hands of the wholesale wine merchants, and the oppressive character of the internal revenue provisions relating to the kee, on the 22d inst. Rev. H. C. ternal revenue provisions relating to th distillation of brandy, combine to ren-der this a season of hardship. Many of the vineyardists will have to sell fine Missioh grapes for \$12 per ton, or a little more than half a cent per pound, and \$20 is offered for fine foreign varieties,

suitable for wine.

A MONSTER VEGETABLE.—The follow ing description of a monster Chinese vegetable called Sooly Qua, introduced into India, is from the Agricultural Gazette of India:—This remarkable vegetable from Foo-choo-foo, is wonderful for the immense size of its fruit, its large dark green glossy leaves, and the beauty of its flowers. In China it is used by the natives as a regular article of food, boiled with rice, or cooked in various

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PRACTICAL HINTS.

abode in Painesville, as acting pastor of the Baptist Church.

The First Congregational Church,

The Way to keep a strong, healthy flock is not to let any member bath, and giving all the beef-tea the pa-

Apple Custard, very nice.—Take tart apples, that are quite juicy, and stew and rub them, as in the recipe above, and to one pint of the apple, beat four eggs and put in, with one table-spoon of sugar, one of butter, and oue-half of a grated nutmeg. Bake as other custards. It is excellent; and makes a good substitute for butter, apple butter, &c.

Paste for Tarts .- Loaf sugar, and butter, equal weights of each; mix thoroughly by beating with a rolling-pin, for half an hour; folding up and beating again and again. When properly mixed, punch off small pieces and roll out each crust by itself, which causes them to dieh so as to hold the tart-mixture. And if you will have a short piecers this is

if not, wet up with cold water and put

Indian Pudding, to bake.—Nice sweet milk one quart; butter one ounce; four eggs well beaten; Indian meal one tea-cup, raisins one-half pound; sugar one-fourth pound. Scald the milk, and stir in the meal whilst boiling; then let it

CALAMITIES.

The curious vecipes schich will hereafter be given to our readers, in this department, are presented only after they have been tested and proven reliable. The information they contain will, therefore, always be found to be caluable and sell scorthy of preservation.

Tunnel, five miles from Pittsburg. by a stroke, while entering the Corkrun Tunnel, five miles from Pittsburg.

Wm. Newbert, living in Elleardsville,

a suburb of St. Louis, while laboring under delirium occasioned by small-pox, jumped out of a second-story window last Friday night, ran two blocks, and fell dead. Col. Titus C. Rice, a recluse, suicided

last Friday night, at Fortess Monroe, Va., by shooting himself through the head. Some twenty years ago he was a prominent cltizen of Richmond, Va., nd was Colonel of the famous Black Horse Cavalry. The body of a young man, William Multry, found in a room in a house of ill-fame at Kansas City, on Friday last, is supposed to have been murdered for his money, as he evidently was struck

with a slung-shot and then strangled. No clue to the murderer.

A short time ago, Mr. Carson Ahrnes of Danbury township, Ottawa County, Ohio, was found lying insensible by the roadside near Mud Creek bridge. He roadside near Mud Creek bridge. He was coming home from Fremont in a buggy, with two horses, and it is supposed an attempt to assassinate him was made for the purpose of robbery. He had two ugly wounds on the head, evidently caused by blows from a dull weapon dealt from behind. His pocket book and money have not been found. His horses were found near him with everything about them in order, excepting the buggy tongue, which was broken.

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Dr. Samuel Ashmore, living at Topeka, Kansas, in a drunken frenzy, Wednesday last, shot and killed his wife, after which hechopped her breast off with a hatchet, in an insane endeavor to take her heart out. It took ten men to arrest and convey the madman to juil so deep WELLS' CARBOLIC TABLETS Worthless imitations are on the market, but the only scientific preparation of Carbolic Acid for the Lung deseases is when chemically combined with other well known remedies, as in these Tablets, and all parties are cantioned against using any other.

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